

OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK

June 21, 2010

The Board of Brown County Commissioners met in regular session with the following members present: Steve Roberts and Keith Olsen. Also present were County Clerk Debbie Parker and Deputy County Clerk Marla Hathhorn. County Attorney Kevin Hill was present for a portion of the meeting. Steve Roberts opened the meeting at 8:00 a.m.

PAYROLL

The June 16, 2010 payroll was approved as follows:

General	\$49,247.12
Road & Bridge	13,990.26
Election	1,245.77
Appraiser	4,698.46
Noxious Weed	1,465.00
ACC	7,695.59
JJCR	10,689.27
JJPR	1,792.76
Services for Elderly	3,018.93
Solid Waste	2,812.44
Court Trustee	3,032.77
Sp MVT	1,040.00
Employee Ben FICA	5,677.13
Employee Ben KPERS	4,436.49
State Unemploy/Work Comp	-465.23
Insurance	-8,136.94
TOTAL	\$102,239.82

COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS

Venice Sloan, Community Corrections, presented paperwork for a juvenile services grant.

WEEKEND STORM DAMAGE

Emergency Management Director Jennifer Ploeger reported on the severe thunderstorms which moved through Brown County causing damage to structures, vehicles and property on Saturday June 19, 2010. Two injuries were reported. Brown County owned property receiving damage included the Courthouse grounds, Jail, Health Department and the Historical Museum/Auditorium.

RESOLUTION #10-13

Jennifer Ploeger, Emergency Preparedness, presented Resolution #10-13, proclaiming that a State of Local Disaster Emergency exists. Motion by Steve Roberts to approve Resolution #10-13. Seconded by Keith Olsen. Motion carried.

MINUTES

Motion by Steve Roberts to approve the June 14, 2010 minutes. Seconded by Keith Olsen. Motion carried.

SHERIFF

Sheriff John Merchant reported 26 inmates currently in the Brown County Jail. Merchant discussed a criminal observation area which was held on US 36 Highway on June 18, 2010, conducted by The Kansas Highway Patrol, Brown County Sheriff, Sac & Fox Police Department and Kickapoo Police Department. Merchant also reported on the weekend storm. Merchant thanked all county residents for their assistance after the storm.

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

The Brown County Courthouse will be closed on July 5th in observance of the July 4th Holiday. The Transfer Station will be closed on July 3rd but open on July 5th.

BG CONSULTANTS

Tom Bennett, BG Consultants, presented paperwork for Bridge Project #7C-4234-01. Register of Deeds Nellie Brockhoff was present to take questions on land ownership.

SHERIFF DEPARTMENT PHONE SERVICE

Steve Roberts reported on visiting the Brown County Sheriff's Office to review telephone bills for the months of March, April and May 2010.

KEM IDOL

Brown County resident Kem Idol reported a maintenance problem on Prairie Road, a mile and a half south of the State line. Idol spoke with Tom Bennett of BG Consultants when the first tube was installed. Idol reports the first tube is damaged and needs to be replaced with rip-rap added to prevent further erosion. Steve Roberts will check into the road problem.

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Emergency Management Director Jennifer Ploeger presented information on eligibility requirements for the Disaster Declaration. Ploeger requested the results be returned to her by Wednesday noon, June 23, 2010.

TREANOR ARCHITECTS

Tim Cummins and Andy Pitts, Treanor Architects, and Greg Hellbusch and Nick Lawton, Straub Construction, presented a progress report on the jail construction. Construction site damage from the Saturday storm was discussed. Sheriff John Merchant, Deputy Doug Brammer, Deputy Doug Hollister and Jail Overseer John McClain were also present.

Motion by Steve Roberts to adjourn. Seconded by Keith Olsen. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:33 a.m. The next meeting will be held Wednesday June 30, 2010, to approve the month end checks.